

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re PATENT APPLICATION of

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Serial No: 10/716,136	Examiner:	B. Peikari
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For: METHOD OF PROTECTING DATA ON A DISK DRIVE FROM UNCORRECTABLE MEDIA ERRORS	Attorney Ref.:	ARC920030069US1

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner For Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 10, 2008, please amend the above-captioned application as set forth below, and reconsider this application in view of the following remarks.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims that begins on page 4 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 10 of this paper and include one (1) replacement sheet of drawings and one (1) new sheet of drawings.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.

An Appendix including one (1) replacement sheet of drawings and one (1) new sheet of drawings is attached following page 17 of this paper.